

SPECIFICATION

The Office stated in the Ex parte Quayle action dated June 18, 2007, the specification lacked the required reference in its first line of the specification to comply with requirements to meet the claim for foreign priority. The Office further stated the specification lacked section headings in accordance with 37 CFR 1.77(b). In response, Applicant submitted a replacement specification with Amendment A filed on September 18, 2007 that included all section headings in accordance with 37 CFR 1.77(b). As required by 37 CFR 1.125, a marked-up version showing the changes and a clean version which will be entered by the Office was attached to that Amendment A filed on September 18, 2007.

Subsequently, because Applicant incorrectly included the claims section which was not necessary because all claims 1-21 were allowed, the Office issued a Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment on October 18, 2007. In response to this Notice, Applicant filed a response on November 14, 2007 attempting to correct said claim amendments, which never should have been made since all claims 1-21 were allowed. Subsequently, the Office issued a Failure to Acceptably Respond to Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated December 27, 2007.

In response, Applicant resubmits the substitute specification, pages 1-16 only, that includes all section headings in accordance with 37 CFR 1.77(b). Further, as required by 37 CFR 1.125, a marked-up version showing the changes and a clean version which will be entered by the Office is attached. Applicant now believes this submission will cure the original objections raised in the Ex parte Quayle action dated June 18, 2007.

Further, Applicant requests that any claim amendments that Applicant attempted to make in Responses filed September 18, 2007 and November 14, 2007, continue to not be entered into the record. As stated in the Ex parte Quayle action dated June 18, 2007, the original preliminary